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MOULTONBOROUGH'S LONG ISLAND INN ADDED TO STATE REGISTER OF HISTORIC PLACES



The Moultonborough Heritage Commission is delighted that the Long Island Inn has been added to the New Hampshire State Register of Historic Places. The Inn will be included in the Heritage Commission's Community Landmarks Tour in August. The Heritage Commission is dedicated to promoting the recognition, appreciation, and protection of significant historical and cultural resources in Moultonborough.

Aside from being a remarkably intact example of period boarding house architecture, the Long Island Inn is critically important to the history of early tourism and the boarding house era in Moultonborough. Established in 1874, the Inn flourished well into the 20th century, overseeing the town's principal port on Lake Winnepesaukee. Operated by the same family since its inception, the Inn could accommodate up to 50 guests in its heyday.

The Moultonborough Heritage Commission will hold its first Community Landmarks Tour on Sunday, August 8, 2010, in collaboration with the New Hampshire Preservation Alliance. The event will feature the 'Historic Inns and Estates of Moultonborough Neck and Long Island' and will focus attention on significant sites of boarding house tourism and summer estate building dating from c. 1880-1920.

Information and registration is available through the New Hampshire Preservation Alliance, 603 / 224-2281 or www.nhpreservation.org. The New Hampshire Preservation Alliance is a statewide organization with the mission to preserve the state's historic buildings, landscapes, and communities through leadership, advocacy, and education.